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To The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Attn: Box Missing Parts Washington, D.C. 20231

Re:

Reissue U.S. Patent Application 09/458,132 for "VERI MAG PACK"; Filed:

12/30/99; Inventors: William R. Sprague and Steven W. Sprague.

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the missing parts of the application as stated in the TECHNOLOGY enclosed copy of the Notice To File Missing Parts dated 06/20/2000. Enclosed are:

- 1. Copy of PTO Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application, mailed June 20, 2000.
- 2. Reissue Application Declaration by the inventor with Steven W. Sprague's signature (2pp).
- 3. Our check No. 2367 in the amount of \$65.00 (surcharge for late filing Declaration) (small entity).
- 4. Our post card. Please date stamp and return.

Please charge any unanticipated fees to our Deposit Account No. 03-3565 (a duplicate copy of this charge authorization is attached.)

Thank you for your cooperation and assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that on August 21, 2000, one copy of the above-referenced documents were deposited with the United States Postal Service for delivery by Express Mail to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF REISSUE APPLICATION

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: STEVĒN W. SPRAGUE
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65

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